



1/7/2021

**Addendum #2 to Bid 002390  
High Performance Cluster Grant Purchase**

Change the above referenced Invitation to Bid to agree with this addendum.

**\*\*This Addendum must be signed and returned with bid submission.\*\***

1. Are you asking for BeeGFS Enterprise licensing to be included in the bid or will LSU HSC be using the GNU/open source version?
  - a. Open source
2. Is installation of BeeGFS needed or is that optional?
  - a. A parallel capable file system is required
3. Is LSU HSC open to BeeGFS alternatives?
  - a. Requests for substitutions must follow what was stated in the bid. The deadline for inquires about substitutions was 12/21/2020.
4. How will the BeeGFS services be installed? All (client, storage, and metadata services) on the one BeeGFS Storage Server (page 21)?
  - a. We prefer that Client, Storage and Metadata services for BeeGFS all be installed, but we have no preference for whether or not they all be installed on the one BeeGFS server, in the event that one or more of the services could be appropriately installed on one of the other servers already listed in the ITB.
5. Mellanox QM8700 HDR InfiniBand switch is an approved substitute for SB7800 EDR

Supplier Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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